

CLAIMS

1. A rest for use in a vehicle comprising a housing having a sloping upper face and means for adjusting the position of the housing relative to the vehicle.
2. A rest for use in a vehicle as claimed in claim 1, in which the housing defines a storage space and has a pivotal lid which provides the sloping upper face and may be pivoted between an open position allowing access to the storage space and support for the calves of a user and a closed position in which the storage space is closed off.
3. A rest for use in a vehicle as claimed in claim 1, in which the lid is powered.
4. A rest for use in a vehicle as claimed in any preceding claim, in which the means for adjusting the position of the housing relative to the vehicle comprises a motorised rack and pinion arrangement.
5. A rest for use in a vehicle as claimed in claim 4, in which the motorised rack and pinion arrangement is operative to move the housing on a pair of rails adapted to be fixed to the floor of the vehicle.
6. A rest for use in a vehicle as claimed in claim 4 or 5, in which the motorised rack and pinion arrangement comprises an electric motor.
7. A rest for use in a vehicle as claimed in any preceding claim, in which a layer of wear resistant material is provided on the sloping upper face.
8. A rest for use in a vehicle as claimed in claim 7, in which the layer of wear resistant material is carpet.

9. A rest for use in a vehicle as claimed in any preceding claim, in which the lid is motorised.
10. A vehicle comprising a rest as claimed in any preceding claim.
11. A vehicle as claimed in claim 9, in which the rest is disposed on a pair of rails which are disposed on a passenger footwell of the vehicle.

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